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Beat The Rush

Please give us your copy on Mondays or at least by noon on Tuesdays. We are trying not to get swamped Tuesday nights.

Council Ponders Artist Studios And the Purchase of Parkland

by James Giese

Although adoption of the annual city budget was the major item considered at the June 5 regular Greenbelt City Council meeting and took up the greatest amount of the council's time in discussion before it was adopted by a 3-2 vote, the council acted on a variety of other topics as well. Among these were the adoption of an annual plan for use of Program Open Space funds which designated three locations for parkland acquisition and one improvement project. Other business had to do with the purchase of a stake body truck, a liquor license transfer for the Chef's Secret Restaurant, legislative proposals for consideration by the Maryland Municipal League (MML), and committee appointments and resignations.

Artist Studios

The agenda item that engendered the most discussion had to do with a city staff proposed change in policy for the use of artist studios at the Community Center. The council spent more than an hour discussing the need for further discussion of the

policy proposal before its approval. The city solicited applications for leasing the four old classrooms designated for artist studio use at the Community Center. Although as many as 12 artists could be accommodated in the space with several artists sharing a classroom, only 13 applications were received and after a review by a jury of artists, only six were recommended as qualified for the leasing of space. The leases are for one year with a renewable option for two more years.

This left two classrooms empty. Staff proposed that one classroom be used as an "artist incubator." The three artists next highest ranked by the jury for potential will be offered studio space for one year and an opportunity to compete again in the jury process next year. Staff proposed that the other classroom be used as a project space for short-term visiting artists associated with the Arts Emerge program and for use by the city and the artists in residence in connection with special events.

Barbara Simon of the

Greenbelt Association of Visual Artists (GAVA) expressed reservations with this proposal of Nicole DeWald, city arts coordinator. She noted that the various arts groups were not aware that space would become available for other uses and that there could be other proposals forthcoming for its use. DeWald advised the council that her proposal was for an interim use and that there would be ample opportunity for other proposals to be considered and worked into the use of the studio space.

None of the councilmembers opposed awarding space to the six artists, all Greenbelt residents, who had satisfied the jury. Nor did anyone oppose the temporary leasing of space to three more Greenbelters in order to provide them with space and opportunity to improve their skills and satisfy a future jury. However, City Councilmember Thomas White felt that approval of the new policy could lock in the uses proposed, and felt that there should be opportunity for proposals and discussion before adopting a

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Annual Awards Ceremony Held By Volunteer Fire Department

by Judith Ransom Bell

Jay Remenick, president of the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, Inc., opened the department's 45th Anniversary Banquet and Awards Ceremony on Saturday evening, March 18 with welcoming remarks and a call to a buffet-style meal catered by Cozy Restaurant. After everyone enjoyed a delicious meal, coffee and dessert, held in the fire department building, Remenick

returned to the podium, along with Chief Randy Krob, to introduce guests and to confer well-earned awards on many of the volunteers.

Those honored included Ronald Walters and Camillo Mascio, who were each awarded Life Memberships; Ted Sacra, the President/Chief's Award; and Alex Szachnowicz, who received the President's Award. Among those receiving service awards were Francis Kolbensschlag and Henry

Wynkoop, for forty-five years of service, Michael-Dutton and Robert Pergola, thirty-five years; and Jack "Randy" Krob and John "Dickey" Wynkoop for twenty-five years. Total calls for 1999 amounted to 2,573, including 1,333 fire calls and 1,240 Emergency Medical Specialist calls. The top runner was Brian Tayman, with a whopping 861 calls.

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Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department President Jay Remenick, along with Chief Randy Krob, presenting a dedication plaque for the newly renovated bunkroom to Mayor Judith Davis, Council member Thomas White, and Assistant to the City Manager David Moran.

- photo courtesy GVFD&RS

County Bill May Expedite Development of Metroland

by Virginia Beauchamp

To support the proposal of Metroland LLC to develop the Greenbelt Metro parking lot area and the adjacent A. H. Smith property as an upscale retail mall and mixed-use office and residential center, the Prince George's County Council two years ago passed a bill, CB-35, to create a new land use category. Called Metro Planned Community, this zone permitted a new use on property previously designated for industrial uses, or I-2.

CB-35 also described in a very specific way what was meant by "upscale"; that is, what kinds of department stores could or could not be built in this zone, what architectural details and amenities would be called for in the highrise residential buildings, and what sorts of landscaping and public facilities would be required.

At virtually the same time, a public Sector Area planning process was beginning, led by a team from the county's Department of Planning under the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission. Its

purpose was to complete the review and prepare a Sectional Map Amendment (SMA) for this parcel east of the CSX railroad tracks that had been left unchanged at the time the College Park-Greenbelt Master Plan had been prepared in 1989. Now completed, the draft document for the Sector Plan was presented Monday night, June 19, in a public hearing before the county council.

Revised Development Concept

In the two years since the Metroland group began marketing its vision with major retailers it hoped would anchor its upscale mall, complications concerning Beltway access to the property and environmental set-asides have emerged. What impact these issues may have had, if any, on securing the clients they desired is not known, but within the last few months the conception of a major retail mall, such as was specified in CB-35, has been modified. The developers now talk of a "main street" design, probably with a single major department store and hotel but primarily residential and

See METROLAND, page 7

Friends Fete Dr. Boarman At His Retirement Dinner

by Nelda Young

As Dr. Gerald Boarman retires after 30 years of service in the Prince George's County Public Schools (PGCPS), expressions of praise and thanks roll in from President Bill Clinton, Governor Parris Glendening, Mayor Judith Davis, co-workers, and friends. During his last eleven years in the system, Boarman was principal of Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

On June 14 friends gathered at Martin's Crosswinds to revisit the impact Boarman had had on their lives and on the county.

Edward Felegy, former superintendent of schools for Prince George's County, called Boarman an informal leader who considered Eleanor Roosevelt "a work in progress."

John Whittington, former assistant superintendent of schools, PGCPS, told of "Little Hercules" using his foot to push open his office door. Boarman remarked, "It was only a flimsy wooden door."

Dr. Michael Reidy, principal, Plum Point Middle School and former dean, ERHS, attended Northwestern High School with Boarman in the 1960s. Even in those days Boarman set unrealistic goals, he said, and then accomplished the impossible. For example, he took his future wife, Valerie, away from an older, bigger, local football star.

"Boarman does what needs to be done," according to Gordon Sampson, principal, Largo High School, including a fiery dance

when he "had ants in his pants on the golf course." And, "Little spud always did what was right for the children."

Dr. Bonnie Dill, parent and chair of the Advisory Board at ERHS, sized up Boarman's outspoken nature by saying, "He says what he thinks and why."

Robert Slade, former deputy superintendent, PGCPS, spoke of Boarman's approach to leadership by reminding the students and faculty that ERHS is "your school" and publicly recognizing that "everybody is somebody."

The staff of ERHS was represented by Sharon Walter, curriculum coordinator at ERHS. She summarized Boarman's leadership by referring to his vision of excellence, shared leadership, unselfish generosity with his time, mutual respect offered to all, and his unfailing expression of appreciation to everyone.

All those present agreed with the sentiments of Jim Henderson, member of the Board of Education representing the Greenbelt area, when he summarized the

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What Goes On

Mon., June 26, 8 p.m.
Regular Council meeting,
Municipal Building

Wed., June 28 7-9 p.m.
Dance night at Roosevelt
Center

8 p.m. Council work session
with Senior Citizens Advisory
Committee, Community
Center

Letters

Brrrr!

I visited my former home, Greenbelt, recently and had lunch with two old friends. I told them how I am keeping ahead of rather severe arthritis by participating in the Seattle swim program for persons with such problems and of course asked if there were such a program at the new Greenbelt pool.

I was indeed surprised when both told me they never use the pool because "the water is too cold." Apparently it is assumed that most swimmers are training for the Olympics and prefer temperature in the 70° s, or worse.

After considerable study a few years ago the Seattle Park Department determined that the best temperature to please both the older users and the youngest (classes are held for those only five months old) as well as the distance swimmers and the high school swim teams is a water temperature of 86°. (If this seems warm remember the normal body temperature is 98.6°, and "luke-warm" in cooking means 110°. 86° feels cool when one enters the water.)

Certainly people do not differ physiologically from Seattle to Greenbelt, and there is no sound reason, clearly, why the pool in Greenbelt should be kept so cool that older citizens do not feel able to use it. When one considers that it was these same older citizens who worked hard a few years ago to get the pool it is hard to justify their being excluded from it now. In a word, it is shameful.

Katherine Keene

Ed Note: Greenbelt's indoor pool is maintained at 83° according to Aquatic Center Director George Rogala. The outdoor pool is kept at 78°.

Correction

In an advertisement for a retail merchandiser which appeared in the May 18, 2000 issue of this newspaper, the name of Procter and Gamble was misspelled. The News Review regrets the error.

June 28 / 4 pm

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Open Letter

I have served the Greenbelt community and have worked for the Public Works Department for the past 15 years. I have met you at the Community Center, the Labor Day Festivals and all of the various events held in Greenbelt.

It is now time for me to say goodbye. I am retiring on June 30, 2000. I will be taking with me many fond memories, and I will never forget the wonderful years I have had serving your community.

Although I don't live in Greenbelt, I expect to come back and visit your community often. Greenbelters are the nicest people in the world.

Thank you for allowing me the privilege of serving your community.

Shirley Waller

Thanks

My family and I want to thank all those who offered such wonderful support to us upon the death of Irving Siegel.

The outpouring of sympathy and the offers of help were given with great affection which we all felt.

I would further like to express my sincere appreciation to all those who have made contributions to the Washington Home Hospice in Irv's honor and who have set up prayer years, and planted trees in his name. These are wonderful gestures and touch our hearts deeply.

Greenbelt is a great place — its people make it so!

Pearl Siegel and family

Nominations Needed

All of us have had the opportunity to be associated with individuals from Greenbelt who have distinguished themselves for their outstanding volunteer service to our community. Rarely do they receive the recognition they deserve.

Every year, Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen Selection Committee chooses a volunteer to receive this honor during the opening ceremonies of Greenbelt's Labor Day Festival. Besides the recognition and congratulatory proclamations, the honoree serves as the Grand Marshal for the Labor Day Parade.

The committee needs your input to insure that the award is made to the most deserving person. Describe, in your own words, your nominee's acts of kindness and tireless energy. Please take the time to write us about the volunteer you believe should be honored as Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen for the year 2000. If you don't have the time to do a nomination yourself, take the traditional Greenbelt approach — co-op with others to submit a nomination!

A nomination form (on page 16 of the News Review) details the basic information needed for each nominee. The deadline for submission is August 7, 2000.

Can we count on you to keep this one of Greenbelt's special events?

Bob Zugby, Chair
Outstanding Citizen
Selection Committee



An old poster on display at the Greenbelt Museum exhibit at the Community Center, this one enticing city parents with visions of wholesome summer play in the county environs of the new Greenbelt community. The exhibit also includes toys, remembrances and other Greenbelt memorabilia.

-photo by Sandra Lange

Channel B-10 Schedule Greenbelt Municipal/Public Access TV

MUNICIPAL ACCESS-301-474-8000

Monday, June 26 at 8pm

City Council Meeting "Live

Tuesday & Thursday June 27th & 29th

6:00 p.m. - "Perils for Pedestrians"

6:30 p.m. - "Greenbelt Concert Band"

7:30 p.m. - "Replay of Council of 6/26"

PUBLIC ACCESS-GATE-301-507-6581

Wednesday and Friday, June 28 & 30

7:00 p.m. - "Know Your Doctor"

7:30 p.m. - "Comic Convention"

As I see It

Explanation of Rising Tax Rates

by James Giese

I should be happy with reader Jim Heaney's chart that compares city tax increases with increases in the consumer price index (CPI) (see June 1 Letters to Editor). While I was city manager and responsible for preparing the budget (until 1991), the taxes on Heaney's home increased at a rate comparable to that of the CPI or somewhat less. After I left, the rate of taxes went up at a much greater pace.

However, it was not the change in management that caused the greater increase in taxes. I got out while the getting was good. Several factors came together to cause the accelerated increase. Most significant was the recession at that time that, for the first time that I can remember, caused property values to either stagnate or decline. Like other municipalities, Greenbelt has little taxing authority other than upon real property and property taxes are the city's principal source of revenue. Besides existing property values declining, new growth in the city, which was extensive in the '60s, '70s and '80s, slowed down and has nearly come to a complete stop. I balanced many a budget with the added revenue that resulted from new growth.

In the meantime, the city council has declared its desire to maintain and improve and expand city services. This is not a change in attitude by the city council. Its membership has always wanted to better city services. The only problem is that no longer are there added revenues to pay for added costs. Therefore, managers have proposed, and council has agreed to raise taxes instead—for seven years in a row.

The message I got from city council this year in its budget deliberations is that it still does not want to cut city services. A key indicator on this was council's unanimous decision to restore a cut proposed by the manager in

the swimming pool hours. Staff, based upon a study of usage, found that the number using the pool didn't justify keeping it open during late evening hours. Even such a minor change in service was not acceptable to the council.

As usually happens, the council wound up increasing the manager's proposed budget. In most cases, the members approved the increases by unanimous vote.

While some councilmembers gave lip service to cutting the budget, I did not see any real effort made. You don't cut budgets by voting for additional expenditures. The greatest part of city expenditures is for paying salaries and wages to city employees. You can't make significant cuts in expenditures without cutting out employees. That's the way corporations cut expenditures or downsize — they let employees go. The city council doesn't want to do that.

Many people say they like Greenbelt because of the good services provided by the city and the variety of recreational and cultural opportunities offered to them. I agree. But it costs money to maintain these services. If you want them, you have to pay for them.

I am not aware of any person coming before the city council to seek budget cuts or reduced taxes. There was plenty of opportunity for anyone to do so. There were many who came to seek more expenditures for their particular project or service. Under such circumstances, it is not surprising that council did not seek to cut the budget.

Heaney, in his letter, says that the current trend of city taxes increasing more rapidly than the CPI cannot continue forever. He is probably right, and at some point council and city staff will get a message from the electorate to cut taxes. So far, that message has neither been sent nor received.

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Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

At the Library

Children's Programs

Tuesday, June 27, PJ Storytime at 7 p.m. for ages 4 to 6.

Wednesday, June 28, Special Summer Events for Kids: Michael Chamberlin, magician, at 2 p.m. for ages 6 to 12.

Thursday, June 29, Drop-In Storytime at 10:15 a.m. for ages 3 to 5.

Golden Age Club

by Ruth Huggins

Vice president Nick Pergola presided at the June 14 meeting on Flag Day. After leading members in prayer, Florence Holly read an article about the American flag.

Pergola introduced Jeri Holloway who informed members of the New Horizon's band programs.

John Taylor, travel chair, said the September Nova Scotia trip has been filled; he will put names on a waiting list in case someone drops out. Taylor is also looking into the possibility of touring a glass factory in Milton, West Virginia (more details later).

Joe Wilkinson introduced our speaker, Jock Knee. For over 35 years Knee has been a professional body builder and consultant on physique and figure control. In 1965 in the Body Building lightweight division, he won the title "Mr. California;" in 1966 in the Lightweight Division he won the Mr. America contest.

Boys and Girls Club Plans Soccer Banquet

by Barbara Murphy

The Greenbelt Boys and Girls Soccer League finished its spring season successfully. This spring 111 players participated in the league. Each of the nine teams played from six to eight games against teams from all over Prince George's County.

A spring soccer banquet is scheduled for Wednesday, June 28 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Jeepers! in Beltway Plaza Mall. Each player will receive a participation trophy and have time for fun on rides and games.

The league is already gearing up for the fall season. Look for registration dates to be announced for July. The season will begin in August. New players are always welcome. Coaches are also needed. Contact Tim Murphy at 301-513-0573 for more information.

Woodland Hills Holds Its Annual Picnic

The Woodland Hills Community Association will hold its annual picnic and business meeting on Sunday, June 25. The picnic will start at 1 p.m. on Parcel A, the community owned wooded area between Northway and Forestway.

Attendees should bring chairs, plus a side dish or dessert for the common table. Other food will be provided. New officers will be elected at the meeting after the picnic, which should occur about 2:30 p.m.

All Woodland Hills residents are encouraged to join their neighbors at this community event.

Recreation Review

The Greenbelt recreation facility ID (rec card) expires on June 30, 2000. New for the summer of 2000, the Greenbelt Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center will require all facility patrons to purchase a photo ID card for admittance into these facilities. Other new policies will also be going into effect and enforced beginning July 1. Call the Greenbelt Recreation Department at 301-397-2200 for details on these new changes.

Learn to Create Customized Forms

The powerful feature-laden word processing programs Microsoft Word and Corel WordPerfect rival dedicated desktop publishing software, but are less expensive and easier to use. In a free class sponsored by the Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative, Mary J. Camp will demonstrate how the versatile table features in Word and WordPerfect can create custom forms. Topics include creating and customizing tables, inserting special characters and pictures into tables, and defining formulas in tables for automatic calculations. The class will meet at the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, in the Senior Gallery on Wednesday, June 28, from 7 to 9 p.m. For further information and to reserve a seat call GIAC voice mail at 301-419-8044.

Meet the Authors

Rita J. Simon and Rhonda M. Roorda will discuss and sign copies of "In Their Own Voices: Transracial Adoptees Tell Their Stories," at an open house Wednesday, June 28 at 6:30 to 9 p.m. at 4-E Crescent Road, home of Jim and Marjorie Gray. The public is invited.

Reading Program At Greenbelt Park

A children's reading program will be featured at Greenbelt Park. Children in elementary and middle schools are welcome. Parents or guardians must be present during the story reading program. Meet at the Ranger station near the campground on Saturday, June 24 at 10 a.m.

GAVA Offers Arts, Sewing Classes

A six-week session of sewing classes for adults and teens 16 and over begins in July with Greenbelt fashion designer Folonda Nix. Nix will teach basic hand/machine stitches, garment finishes, fabric and fiber characteristics, and pattern and fabric layout. Students will learn quality workmanship and will be able to produce at least one outfit. Classes will be held on Sundays, 3 to 6 p.m., July 16-August 20.

A five-week session of stained glass workshops with Richard McMullin, also for adults and older teens, begins July 1. Workshops are scheduled on Saturdays, 3 to 7 p.m., July 1 to 29.

Younger teens, 11 to 16, may attend the Youth Art Drop-In on Wednesdays, noon to 3 p.m., July 5 to August 9. Greenbelt artist Barbara Stevens will teach drawing and painting (water color and acrylic).

For details on all three programs, see ad on page 12 of this issue. These programs are produced by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts (GAVA) at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. All GAVA programs are supported by the City of Greenbelt, Department of Recreation.

Cowtippers Perform For Line Dancing

Roosevelt Center Mall will be the place for country line dancers to do their steps, kicks and turns on Wednesday, June 28. Sponsored by the Greenbelt Recreation Department, the City Stages performance will feature music by the Cowtippers. The band will play roots and classic country. The performance is free. In case of rain, it will be held at the Youth Center.



Condolences to Roger Brown of Ridge Road on the death of his brother Kenneth.

Our sympathy to Janet Curtis, of Research Road, and family on the death of her husband, David.

Public Works Department employee Shirley Waller is retiring after 15 years on June 30. Also retiring, after 22 years, is Pat Fitzenreiter, executive secretary to the City Manager. Thank you both for your many years of service to the city.

Congratulations to Don and Dodie Denis, Lakeside residents who are celebrating their 20th wedding anniversary this month.

Adrian Sam-Kpakra, 17, recently completed enlistment processing and became a member of the Maryland Army National Guard, assigned to HHC 129th Sig. He will receive basic training at Ft. Knox, Kentucky.

A son, Robert James, weighing 7 lb. 5 oz., was born to Joanna and Steven Screen of Lakeside Drive on May 25 at Prince George's Hospital. Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Screen and Mr. and Mrs. David Lambert all reside in England.

Friends of Nat Shinderman, former GHI president and board member and city activist, may reach him at the following address: 7706 Whiterim Terrace, Potomac, MD 20854 (Telephone 301-299-1662).

Thursday Tots Time

Thursday Tots Time at Greenbelt Park will feature a car seat check point on Thursday, June 29, 9-11 a.m. Meet at the Sweetgum picnic area. For further information call 301-344-3944.

Dog Walk at Park

Join a park ranger with his dog on a walk through Greenbelt Park. Meet at the ranger station near the campground on Sunday, June 25 at 1 p.m. with a dog. For information or directions call 301-344-3944.

City Notes

The streets crew backfilled the new French drain between 9 - 12 Greenknolls with topsoil and re-installed the fence, cleaned out a swale at 39 Court Ridge, and backfilled the sidewalk along Lakeside with topsoil.

The horticulture crew planted annuals at the lake entrance, Boxwood, the police station, Schrom Hills, Springhill Lake Recreation Center and on Hanover Parkway.

The parks crew continued installing two bus shelters in Greenbelt East and purchased materials for the third.

The facilities maintenance crew repaired clogged plumbing at Schrom Hills Park and worked with PEPCO late into the night June 14 to restore power to the Youth Center and the Aquatic Center. They replaced the motor for the ventilation fan at the Aquatic Center, damaged by the power outage, and worked with PEPCO to restore power to Springhill Lake Recreation Center after the storm.

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Be especially alert if you step in front of a stopped bus because, due to its size, it's even harder for an overtaking driver to see you.



Getting Along Together



Greenbelt 8 and under team in action.

- photo by Brenda Jane

OBITUARY

David E. Curtis

David E. Curtis, age 58, died of heart complications at his home on Research Road on June 4, 2000. He had lived in Greenbelt since 1989 when he married his wife Janet.

Mr. Curtis grew up in Huntington, West Virginia and graduated from Marshall University of Huntington. He served in the Navy for three years as a commissioned officer. He retired from the University of Maryland in 1995, where he had been employed for 16 years.

Survivors include his wife of 11 years, Janet, a son David of South Boston, MA, and a daughter, Cindy Spencer of Avon, MA, his mother, Eldora Weaver Curtis of Huntington, WV, and a sister, Julia Kincaid of Bladenboro, NC, and two stepchildren, Linda Riddle of Martinsburg, WV and Ervin Riddle of Cabot, AR, as well as numerous grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

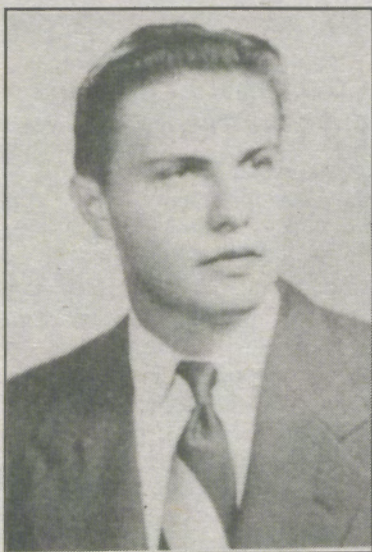
Mr. Curtis was a member of the Mishkan Torah congregation in Greenbelt. Services were held at the Takoma Funeral Home in Takoma Park on June 8. Burial was at the Maryland Veterans Cemetery in Crownsville, MD.

Memorial contributions may be made to Mishkan Torah, 10 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, MD.

In Memoriam

David Curtis was a quiet and modest man. I first met David several years ago through his neighbor and my friend, Eunice Coxon, now 87 years old. In recent years, as her health and strength declined, it became increasingly difficult for me to transport Eunice to the various doctor's appointments. Although not in good health himself, David took charge, assisting Eunice in many ways until his death. David was the personification of "Love thy neighbor as thyself."

Elizabeth Maffay



-Senior photo from Pylon 51, Greenbelt High School year book.

Kenneth Lee Brown

Longtime Greenbelt resident Kenneth Lee Brown, 68, died June 19 at Holy Cross Hospital after a long illness.

A noted woodcarver, he came to Greenbelt with his parents in 1942, living first at 8-C Hillside and later at 11-G Southway. He graduated from Greenbelt Elementary and Greenbelt High School in 1951, the last senior class at the school. He was discharged in 1961 after service in the U.S. Army.

Graveside services were held June 21 at Ft. Lincoln Cemetery. Mr. Brown is survived by his brother, Roger Brown, of Ridge Road.

Aquatic Gardening Taught at Behnke's

Behnke Nurseries in Beltsville will continue its Summer Events 2000 series of demonstrations and workshops with a two-day mini-series on Aquatic Gardening. Saturday and Sunday, June 24 and 25 at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., Behnke's staff will share information and conduct demonstrations on four topics in aquatic gardening at the Beltsville store.

Wiring in School Begins by Comcast

by Judith Ransom Bell

Last month County Executive Wayne Curry, Superintendent of Schools Iris T. Metts, Comcast Cable Regional Vice President Jaye Gamble and Vice President and General Manager of Comcast's Prince George's System Douglas McKenzie wired the first Prince George's County public school with a free ultra high-speed internet service via Comcast@Home cable modem technology.

Athena Ware, supervisor of External Communications, reports that all schools will be receiving the internet wiring. The installation will be done by region, and the work has begun in Region I. Greenbelt is in Region II and an additional announcement will be made when the wiring is ready to begin there. The service is free to schools, as well as to libraries, and there are no plans for a rental fee in the future.

"Comcast and the Prince George's County leadership has forged a unique high-tech public and private partnership that will deliver this new tool to Prince George's County classrooms, allowing teachers and students to explore a whole new world of information and educational services unmatched by any other technology," said McKenzie. "We're making every effort to move our system into the 21st century. This donation from Comcast will aid us in our goal," said Superintendent Metts. "This state-of-the-art equipment will be located in all of our media centers in kindergarten through grade 12, allowing our students greater access to the World Wide Web. Accessibility to the internet and use of technology by all children in our school system is one of our highest priorities."

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Photography Exhibit Will Be at UMUC

The University of Maryland University College (UMUC) will open its summer exhibition, "Maryland Photographers: Recent Work by Peggy Fox and Jack Radcliffe," with a reception Friday, June 30, 5:30 to 7 p.m. The exhibit will be displayed from June 30 through August 28, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily in the Arts Program Gallery of the UMUC Inn & Conference Center, 3501 University Boulevard East, Adelphi. For more information call 301-985-7822.

Adult Care Centers Need Volunteers

The Baptist Senior Adult Ministries of the metropolitan area is seeking volunteers for their adult care center in Greenbelt, as well as Brentwood, Bowie and Thomas House in D.C. They are looking for volunteers to lead arts and crafts groups, to be friendly visitors and assist staff with activities and serving lunch. Hours are available from Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call Daryl Pennington at 202-626-5782 for further information.

Concerts in the Park

The Watkins Regional Park family outdoor concert series begins on Thursday, June 29, with the Style Band playing rhythm and blues, the top 40s and classic '70s. Concerts will be held every Thursday evening from 7 to 8:30 p.m. through August 24. They are free.

The Unity Reggae Band, upbeat reggae, will appear July 7 and on July 13 there will be "Funk Fusion" music of the '70s and the '80s played by the Kosmo De Facto Show.

Alzheimers Assoc. Needs Volunteers

Volunteers with the Alzheimer's Association Greater Washington Chapter provide critically needed help to individuals with Alzheimer's disease, caregivers, and professionals helping families. Volunteer opportunities include telephone Helpline, family services assistant, special events, and speaker's bureau and health fair representatives. For more information call Carolyn Thomas at 301-652-6446.



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BOARMAN

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evening by saying, "If I could, I'd give Boarman a new contract."

When Boarman took the mike, he received a standing ovation. Perhaps in explanation of his go-getter nature, he began by saying his attitude has always been "to ask forgiveness rather than to ask for permission." In proof of his colleague Walter's words on shared leadership, he said, "The principal of a school always gets too much credit and too much blame." And in confirmation of his generous nature he proceeded to recognize and thank virtually everyone present, and especially his wife for "allowing me to do what makes me happy."

Dill's stated opinion was "I don't believe Jerry will be able to stay away." All those present at Boarman's farewell party on Wednesday night certainly hoped she was right.

Nature Appreciation Program at Refuge

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is offering a free summer educational series for tots, kids and teens.

The following July programs for ages 3 and 4 with a caregiver will be held from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the National Wildlife Visitor Center (located at Patuxent Research Refuge two miles east of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway off Powder Mill Road, Laurel):

Monday, July 10, Tweet Tweet, introduction to birds; Monday, July 17, Furry Friends, introduction to mammals; Monday, July 24, Tykes Like Trees, introduction to trees; Monday, July 31, Night Critters, introduction to nocturnal creatures.

The following July programs will be held at the Refuge's North Tract, located on Route 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Route 32 in Laurel. Discover Nature Fur and Feather will be held July 11, 12, and 13 for ages 5 to 7 with two sessions each day. Session A from 9 to 10 a.m. and Session B from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Nature Explorers will be held July 18, 19, and 20 for ages 8 and 9 with two sessions each day. Session A from 9 to 10:30 a.m. and Session B from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Butterflies: Nature's Festival of Colors will be held Saturday, July 8 and Saturday, July 29, 8:30 to 11 a.m. for ages 8 and older with an adult. Field guides, binoculars and water are recommended for this three-mile hike.

Wildflower Walk will be held Sunday, July 16, 8:15 to 10 a.m. for ages 16 and older. Bring field guides.

All programs are free, but require advance reservations. Call 301-497-5887 for reservations and any special needs.

Letter to ERHS Faculty

Dear Friends,

This past year has been the most rewarding of my professional career. Your total dedication to the goals that we have established has resulted in the school receiving the New American High School Award, one of only 11 given in the country. A month later we were designated one of only 12 schools in the nation chosen as a pilot site for the National Academy of Information and Technology. These awards along with our excellent arts and sciences program, athletics program, and extra-curricular programs, as well as your course offerings provide the students who attend Eleanor Roosevelt the most balanced educational opportunities anywhere in the country.

Your role in this quest for excellence has led the way for the 11 years that I have had the pleasure and honor to serve as principal of Eleanor Roosevelt High School. From my first day on the job you have been supportive and willing to try new and innovative programs, only asking one question, "How will this benefit our students?"

As I have wrestled with the question, "Will he stay or leave?" I have faced an internal crisis that has torn me in different directions and placed before me the most difficult decision of my life. My relationship with you and my love for you as individuals have had a major impact on my ultimate decision. Along with that aspect of the decision-making process has been my sense of surrogate fatherhood to our students and my sincere love and admiration for them. They really are remarkable and together we have instilled in them the "Roosevelt Way," a way that has become part of their life! What an accomplishment for all of us to build on and extend beyond the boundaries of Eleanor Roosevelt into the society we share together.

The rehire program currently being offered to principals in Prince George's County is very generous. However, there are some benefits that have been excluded from the program that would be important to me, as I plan to work for the next ten to twelve years. Therefore, I have reluctantly decided that I will not be returning to Eleanor Roosevelt as your principal next year.

It has been a wonderful journey and I will miss each and every one of you. You have been my professional family and I owe my professional success to you and the support and assistance you have given me over the last 11 years. More importantly, during our tenure together you have been instrumental in the career pathways and success of thousands of students. Money can't buy the feeling that we all have and the pride we demonstrate daily as staff members of Eleanor Roosevelt High School (but it sure could help I know)!

I will always be available to you as a friend and colleague and can be reached at gboarman@yahoo.com if you would like to drop me a note, or if you ever need my assistance, advice, or just an encouraging word.

You are the best in the profession and will still be the best when the 2000-2001 school year starts and we go our separate ways. Remember, the only thing that counts in the end is doing what's right for all students and always providing them with your best effort.

Respectfully,
Jerry

ERHS Awards

Twenty-one Greenbelters were recognized at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on May 25 during the Awards Program. Listed alphabetically by name, they were:

Victor Aguilar	4.0 grade point average
Edith Anim	FACS Foods & Nutrition
Derrick Baker	Tim Hay Memorial Tech Ed
Cristal Clarke	Jermaine Lewis Scholarship
Melissa Cooper	Kiwanis
Malcolm DeCruise, Jr.	Jermaine Lewis Scholarship
Aja Diggs	Jermaine Lewis Scholarship
Thomas Hindsley	ACE
Monday Isa	Physical Education
Joannah Kim	ACE
Brigitte Lipper	PTSA Outstanding Social Studies
	PTSA Student of Character
Sara Lychenheim	PTSA Academic Science
Lamin Manneh	PTSA Academic English
Kurt Nelson	National Merit
Michelle Pascaran	Skolnik Memorial
Catherine Schreiber	Tech Ed
Brian Slone	Alex Walsh Memorial Scholars
Elizabeth Stratton	Sign Language
Oluwakemi Tomobi	Perfect Attendance
Umar White	Alex Walsh Memorial Scholars
	Jermaine Lewis Scholarship
Carol Yi	Rhode Island School of Design

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Concerts will be canceled due to inclement weather.

Greenbelt CARES

Teresa Smithson attended a new Field Instructor's training at the University of Maryland School of Social Work in Baltimore on June 13. Smithson will supervise a second year social work graduate student for the 2000 - 2001 academic year.

Norman Epstein, Ph.D., CARES Family Clinic psychologist consultant, recently returned from a two week professional trip to China. During

his China visit, Epstein gave a series of lectures on family and cognitive behavior therapy. Faculty members at the host university in Shanghai plan to create a family therapy clinic which would receive governmental support. Epstein assisted the Chinese in the planning process for this project. Upon returning to Greenbelt he provided the CARES Family Clinic staff with his perspective on psychology in China today.



REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL
MUNICIPAL BUILDING COUNCIL ROOM

June 26, 2000 - 8:00 P.M.

I. ORGANIZATION

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Meditation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
4. Consent Agenda - Approval of Staff Recommendations
(The consent agenda consists of those items marked by an asterisk [] subject to such revisions as may be made by the Council prior to approval.)*
5. Approval of Agenda and Additions

II. COMMUNICATIONS

6. Presentations
7. Petitions and Requests
(Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless the standing rules are waived by the Council.)
8. Minutes of Meetings
9. Administrative Reports
- * 10. Committee Reports

III. LEGISLATION

11. A Resolution to Authorize the Negotiated Purchase of Certain Goods and Services from Various Vendors as Enumerated Herein When Total Fiscal Year Purchases from Each Vendor Exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (10,000)
-1st Reading
-2nd Reading, Adoption
12. End-of-the-Year Budget Adjustments:
A. An Ordinance to Make a Supplemental Appropriation in the Temporary Disability Reserve Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2000
-1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
-2nd Reading, Adoption
B. An Ordinance to Make a Supplemental Appropriation in the Replacement Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2000
-1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
-2nd Reading, Adoption
C. An Ordinance to Make a Supplemental Appropriation in the Community Development Block Grant Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2000
1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
2nd Reading, Adoption
13. Position on Greenbelt Metro Area Sector Plan

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

14. Request from Maryland Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee
15. City of District Heights - Program Open Space Request
16. County Bill 8-2000, An Ordinance Establishing a Development District Overlay Zone Category and Regulations for Development There in, to Be Superimposed by a SMA over Other Zones in Development Districts Designated by a Master Plan
- * 17. Appointment of Council Liaison to the Senior Citizens Advisory Committee
- * 18. Reappointments to City Advisory Groups

V. MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public and all interested citizens are invited to attend. For information, please call 301-474-3870. If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 or 301-474-2046 (TDD) to request such accommodation before 10:00 am on the day of the meeting.

Check out the Greenbelt Citylink website at www.ci.greenbelt.md.us

Kathleen Gallagher
City Clerk



New Lions Officers Want to Help

by Emory Harman

The Greenbelt Lions installed officers for 2000 and 2001 at their last meeting of the year, June 9, at the Best Western Hotel in Berwyn.

About 30 members and guests attended the ceremony conducted by newly elected 22-C District Governor, Jordan J. Burick.

District Governor Burick installed Lion Roland Goodloe as president, Lion Shirley Clute as secretary, and Lion Richard W. Jones as treasurer. The remaining officers were also installed at this time. In addition, District Governor Burick inducted a new member, Judith Davis, Mayor of Greenbelt.

The new president, known as a King Lion, is a 33-year Lion member from New York state. Well-versed and well-qualified in Lionism, he plans to bring a strong and active program to Greenbelt. The aims and objectives of Lionism — helping the less fortunate and assistance in scholarships — will be extended to the fullest by Lion King Goodloe. Establishing a Leo Club (youth group) is also one of his goals.

The Greenbelt Lions Club strives to serve the community in all possible ways, as spelled out in its charter. Anyone who needs aid may contact any Lions Club member or write to P.O. Box 677, Greenbelt, MD. Requests will be acted upon by the Board of Directors and given immediate attention.

The Lions are always in need of new life blood to keep their aging group moving. So, any adults interested in helping the less fortunate in our community, please contact the Lions by the method previously mentioned.



Greenbelt's Business



Realty Associates Honored in County

Pam Kay and Harmony Campbell, sales associates at Weichert Realtors' Greenbelt Office, have been named to the Distinguished Sales Club of Prince George's County Association of Realtors.

Membership in the club represents dedication to the highest standard of service and professionalism in the industry. It is open to all award-winning sales associates.

Beltsville Company Charged by State

The Maryland Consumer Protection Division has charged a Beltsville mirror company with unfair and deceptive practices and has requested an order requiring it to cease such practices and return payment owed to consumers. Sterling Mirror of Maryland, Inc., and its president Michael Kaperst, were charged with failing to honor consumers' cancellation rights and refusing to refund deposits to consumers who were denied financing for their order, in violation of the Maryland Door-to-Door Sales, Retail Installment Sales, and Consumer Protection Acts.

Sterling sells customized mirrors and installation services to consumers in their homes. Under the Maryland Door-to-Door Sales Law and Retail Installment Sales Act, consumers who wish to finance their purchases are not obligated to pay for the mirrors they order unless their financing is approved and they are provided fully executed contracts setting forth the terms of that financing. The Attorney General alleges that Sterling

Pat Byer, Sr. CPA, Joins Gunderson

Clifton Gunderson L.L.C. announced that Patrick Byer, Sr., CPA, CGFM, MBA, a manager in its Mid-Atlantic Client Service Center, was elected a member in the firm, effective June 1. Byer joined Gunderson's Baltimore office in 1987 as a staff accountant. He was promoted to manager in 1994, and transferred to the Greenbelt office in 1995. He specializes in providing audit, accounting and consulting services to the federal government, not-for-profit and commercial clients. In addition to being a CPA, he is a Certified Government Financial Manager.

Giant Food Honored

Giant Food has been honored by the Jewish Foundation for Group Homes with the prestigious S. Robert Cohen Award in recognition of the company's programs for hiring individuals with disabilities. Over the years, the company has developed initiatives to hire and place individuals with disabilities in productive positions in the company's stores in Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia.

Greenbelt businesses are encouraged to send their stories for this page

violated these laws.

A public hearing on the charges was scheduled for June 13. Consumers who wish to contact the Consumer Protection Division may call 401-576-6591.

Kudos to Coldwell Banker Associates

Achievers of top sales for May in Coldwell Banker Stevens' Lanham/Greenbelt office are Lisa Smith and Jared Jefferies. "Top Listings Sold" winners are Teddy Gremillion and Louise Brown.

Agents with the most new listings in May are Teddy Gremillion and Louise Brown, while "top producers" are Lisa Smith and Jared Jefferies.

Stephen Bupp Receives Award

During its 48th National Conference, held in May in Anaheim, California, the Community Associations Institute (CAI) recognized individuals who had shown excellence in education, leadership, government and public affairs and membership recruitment. The awards recognized members who contributed to the growth, strength and achievements of CAI over the past year.

Greenbelt businessman Stephen R. Bupp, CMCA, AMS, PCAM, CAI immediate past chairman, was recognized with CAI's top honor — the Distinguished Service Award — for his continued contributions to CAI over the years. Through his tenure with the association, Bupp was instrumental in creating several of CAI's designations, played an integral part in the task force which created the National Board for Certification for Community Association Managers (NBC-CAM), and served as treasurer and chair-elect of CAI. In addition,

Top Sales Associates Awarded Tipped Hats

Coldwell Banker Stevens Realtors honored their star performers at the seventh annual "Tipping Our Hats to the Tops" awards breakfast at the Ritz Carlton Hotel, Tysons Corner. The top sales associates for 1999 were inducted into one of five clubs: Chairman's, President's, Executive's or Director's.

Thomas M. Stevens, President of Coldwell Banker Stevens Realtors was host of the awards ceremony, along with Rachel Jefferies, Manager of the Lanham/Greenbelt Office. They announced the following sales associates were honored at this event: Chairman's Club: Teddy Gremillion; President's Club: Rachel Jefferies; and Director's Club: Louise Brown, Ronald Harris, and Joyce Alexander.

Volunteer for Hospice

Hospice of Prince George's County is seeking volunteers who are available during weekdays to work with terminally ill people, help in Southern Prince George's County, and website volunteers with experience in HTML programming and a commitment of time to keep the website updated. Faith community volunteers from each of the county's faith communities are needed to act as liaisons. For information, call the volunteer coordinator at 301-499-0550.

tion, Bupp has chaired and served on various committees, councils and task forces over the past 20 years with CAI.

Bupp, whose company manages most of the condominiums Greenbelt East, is president of Condominium Venture.

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DR. JAY MCCARL
Dental Implant Symposium at Boston University.
Fellow in Academy of General Dentistry.

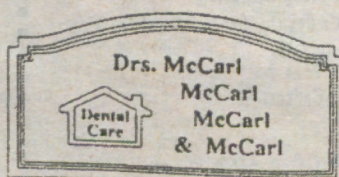
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METROLAND

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office construction. In other words, the zoning-by-legislation process created by CB-35 no longer applies to the revised concept for the development.

For that reason, County Councilman Thomas Hendershot and Councilwoman Audrey Scott have introduced a new bill, CB-47, which was heard on June 7 before the county's Planning, Zoning, & Economic Development Committee (PZED). What the new language describes is "an array of commercial, lodging, recreational, residential, entertainment, retail, social, cultural or similar uses which are interrelated by one or more themes."

Prior to the committee meeting, in the form of a letter dated June 6, Greenbelt Mayor Judith Davis presented the city's position, unanimously opposing the new legislation. According to her letter, because of the imminent June 19 hearing on the Sector Plan, and "the intensive public involvement" in its drafting, the city feels "it makes sense to defer consideration" of such proposals until the Sector Plan process is complete.

"In this way," the letter says, "it can be the public planning process that governs the future development of the area, not legislation that has been drafted to facilitate a specific proposal." Included with the letter was a memo prepared by Celia Craze, the city's director of planning and community development, outlining some of the guidelines from the Sector Plan proposal that should be incorporated into any proposed development.

PZED Hearing

The city's request had no effect at the county's June 7 PZED hearing, however. Councilwoman Scott, who represents Greenbelt on the County Council, was absent because of the serious illness of her mother and thus unable to respond to the city's recommendations. Subsequently, on a vote of 2 to 1 (Councilman Walter Maloney dissenting), the committee endorsed CB-47. It is expected to be introduced before the County Council later this month.

Teens Study Osprey On Patuxent River

On July 7 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., students in grades 9 - 12 are invited to participate in an intensive one-day program that involves the study of ospreys in their natural habitat on the waters of Patuxent River Park.

Participants will observe/study osprey behavior and biology and then board boats for hands-on experience banding young ospreys on the nest.

The program is limited to 15 students; and reservations are required.

For further information call 301-627-6074; TTY 301-699-2544; www.pgparcs.com.

This program is a cooperative program of the Maryland-National Capital Park & Planning Commission, Maryland Department of Natural Resources, and Anne Arundel County Department of Recreation and Parks.

Summer GED Course Registration July 6

Greenbelt CARES will begin the summer 4-week GED Mini-course on Thursday, July 6, and will end on Thursday, July 27.

Registration for the course will be held on Thursday, July 6, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. only. The first class will be held on Tuesday, July 11.

GED I is held from 10:30 to 12:30. It is designed for students who need review of basic math (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, decimals, percentages and word problems) and English grammar skills.

GED II is held from 1 to 3 p.m. GED II is for students who have successfully completed GED I and/or are ready to learn algebra and geometry, English literature and writing skills, and prepare to take the GED test.

The GED program is held every Tuesday and Thursday, for four weeks, in the Municipal Building Conference Room, 25 Crescent Road.

Students are required to show proof of residency (i.e., current lease, phone or electric bill, driver's license or Motor Vehicle I.D. card). There is no charge for Greenbelt residents in either course.

Non-Greenbelt residents are required to pay a registration fee. All students are required to purchase a copy of the GED textbook (purchased from Greenbelt CARES).

Students do not have to be 16 years of age in order to take the GED course. Students are eligible to take a GED pre-test at Greenbelt CARES, at no cost. The actual GED test is given by the State of Maryland, not Greenbelt CARES. However, students who are ready to take the test can obtain the application forms from Greenbelt CARES.

Questions and enrollment information regarding either GED I or GED II should be directed to Judy Hering, course instructor, at Greenbelt CARES at 301-345-6660, ext. 144.

Developmental Clinic For Kids at PGCC

Prince George's Community College is accepting registrations for its four-week summer session of the Children's Developmental Clinic, which serves children with delays in motor, language and reading development. The session runs from Monday, June 26 through Thursday, July 20.

Children with developmental delays, ages birth and up, will be scheduled for 1-1/2 hour sessions, two days a week. Participants may attend during one of three time slots, 8:30 to 10 a.m., 10:15 to 11:45 a.m. or 12 to 1:30 p.m., on Mondays and Wednes-

Emory Harman Honored

by Altoria Bell Ross

To Boxwood resident Emory Harman, Greenbelt is the Garden of Eden which God instructed President Franklin Roosevelt to build. Decades later on a blustery March afternoon, Harman walked into the Greenbelt Library's Tugwell room, named for Rexford Guy Tugwell, an advisor to President Roosevelt who advocated for Greenbelt, and reflected on his years of service to this "garden" and its surrounding area. For this service Harman was nominated by Senator Leo Green for the county's "Affair of the Heart" award that Harman accepted on March 23 at Martin's Crosswinds. "He's such a wonderful man," said Green of Harman, who has been his treasurer for 30 years. "He gives everything he has."

Harman often gives by representing Green in Greenbelt. Recently, for example, Harman presented Greenbelt Advisory Council on Education awardees with certificates in the senator's stead. Last summer Governor Parris Glendening reappointed Harman to the Trial Courts Judicial Nominating Commission for the county's 13th district. In this capacity, he conducts background checks and interviews attorneys who desire to become judges and judges who want to move to a higher court.

And that is not all. Shirley Morrison Clute, who was a student in Harman's physical education class at Greenbelt High School in the 1950s, where he also taught history, said, "He's in every club there is." Harman has spent 45 years contributing to the Lion's Club where he has helped with its vision, hearing, diabetes, and disaster relief programs.

"I enjoy helping other less fortunate people in the community," he said, as he flipped through photo albums and news clippings of Labor Day festivals for which he worked in some leadership ca-



Greenbelt's Emory Harman in the Tugwell Room reminiscing over old times. Harman was recognized by Prince George's County as an outstanding volunteer on March 23 at Martin's Crosswinds.

- photo by Altoria Bell Ross

capacity from 1968 to 1975. Currently he is also president of the Greenbelt Historical Society, vice president of the Democratic Club, a board member of Greenbelt Access Television, and a docent at the Greenbelt Museum. In addition, Harman leads in his congregation, Greenbelt Community Church, chauffeurs residents of Green Ridge House to engagements, and annually plays Santa Claus at the Youth Center.

Harman's path to volunteerism led from the University of Maryland in College Park, where he received bachelor's and master's degrees in education. In 1948, he moved to an apartment on Parkway dubbed teachers' row to take a position at Greenbelt High School. Later Harman, who donated the 1941 blueprint of Greenbelt, the first money order, and other memorabilia to the Tugwell room, became the city's postmaster from 1963 to 1980.

Harman's late wife, Margie, who died in 1994, also shared his philosophy of helping others. She taught in the county's el-

ementary schools for 25 years, served in the church, and played Mrs. Claus alongside him. Their children, Ellen, Emory, Jr., and Clay, inherited this "gene." Ellen is a juvenile counselor with the state, Emory, Jr. is an administrator and counselor to retarded and developmentally disabled children, and Clay is a guidance counselor.

When asked about his motivation to volunteer, Harman said, "It makes you happier being around people."

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Remenick proudly announced that the completed phase of this year's renovation project includes a renovated men's bunkroom, a new ladies' bunkroom, a new ladies' auxiliary office, a sprinkler and alarm system required by code, and new lighting in the apparatus room and several other areas. "This project would not have been...possible without the tremendous effort put forth by the Greenbelt City Council members and staff, the State of Maryland and county-elected officials," Remenick said. "I especially want to thank Assistant to the City Manager David Moran for his exceptional effort toward making this a success and let us not forget former Mayor Toni Bram who started this process a few years ago."

President Remenick announced that the newly renovated bunkroom was being dedicated to the city council and staff. A

plaque was presented and read as Mayor Judith Davis, Councilmember Thomas White, and Moran came forward; the plaque will be hung in the bunkroom.

New equipment received from the county this year was a badly-needed ambulance, a 2000 Freightliner. Remenick reported that Greenbelt's first fire pumper, a 1935 Ford Howe, has been repurchased. The company is exploring revenue sources to restore the pumper to its original condition, and city council is looking into ways to obtain historical grant funds.

Ladies Auxiliary President Nancy Remenick made awards presentations to members. Life memberships to Kathy McAndrew and Teresa Crisman, and the President's Award to Teresa Crisman were among many of the awards given.

At the conclusion of the awards ceremony, Jim Pappas of Nite Life II DJ Entertainment began the music and dance portion of the program.

Library Fetes Volunteers

by Eileen Farnham

On April 14, the New Carrollton Library was the site for the Prince George's County library system's annual recognition program for volunteers. The event, an elaborate brunch with all the usual foods as well as specialty omelette makers and reading-oriented gifts for each attendee, includes milestone service awards and entertainment by some real talents among the library system's staff. The crowd was greeted and thanked for the services they provide the library system by Maralita Freeny, interim director, Prince George's County Memorial Library System, and attorney Rebecca Gitter, who is president of the Board of Library Trustees.

As usual, Greenbelt was well represented — and especially so this year in awards, with milestone recognitions to Greenbelters Judith Goldstein for 500 hours and to Kathryn Connolly for 1,000 hours service to the library. Nearly an entire long table was filled with volunteers who can be seen giving time on a regular basis here in the Greenbelt library. With an obvious affinity for the written word, among them, too, were a number of library volunteers who are also Greenbelt News Review staffers. Present at this year's brunch were the following volunteers who are News Review regulars: Lucie MacKinnon, Julie Kender, Eileen Peterson, Judith Ransom Bell, and the writer of this piece, who is attached to Fairmount Heights as a homebound reader.

Library volunteers receiving milestone awards this year alone have provided 30,900 hours of service in county libraries, with-

out counting the hefty crowd of volunteers attending — or the many who could not be at the brunch — for whom this year does not mark a milestone award.

After awards were presented: a tote bag to Judith Goldstein and plaque for Kathryn Connolly, and group photos, the crowd was regaled by storytellers Yvonne Harris, in African dress, telling the tale of King Harold and Maria Martinez, in Spanish dance costume and castenets, with the story of the courtship of Martina, a meticulous cockroach, whose hand in marriage is sought by rooster, duck, and cat before ultimately being won by the mouse, whose lilting talk sounded like a song to Martina. Harris and Martinez were followed by a group of library staffers called The Deliveries (Leslie Busby, Wayne Cabbagestalk, Kenneth and Thomas Gross) who, accompanied by horn and guitar, serenaded the group with a series of love ballads. The finale was the door prize drawing — Greenbelt's own Lucie MacKinnon walked away the winner of the large floral centerpiece decorating the front of the room.

The annual program, one of the "perks" of being a library volunteer, is a festive opportunity to mingle with volunteers from Greenbelt and other branches, as well as library staff. Those interested in performing any of the many services volunteers provide to the library (tasks include book store coverage, shelving books, planning and coordinating library activities) can visit the library to complete a form indicating their interests or skills.

F. Scott Fitzgerald Story Contest Open

The F. Scott Fitzgerald Literary Conference is now accepting entries for its annual F. Scott Fitzgerald Short Story Contest. The first prize in the general category is \$1,000 with three runners up receiving \$200 each.

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There is no entry fee and there are no restrictions on subject matter. Entries do not have to be about F. Scott Fitzgerald and multiple entries are encouraged. Please identify the entries either as general or student.

For further information call 301-309-9461.



Greenbelt Recreation Department SUMMER REGISTRATION

GENERAL CLASS & REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Walk-In Registration Locations:

Greenbelt Youth Center Monday - Friday, 9am to 4:30pm
Greenbelt Community Center Monday - Saturday 9am to 9:30pm

A 'DROP BOX' is located at the Community Center and Youth Center, where registrations may be 'DROPPED' at any time during the registration period. For mail-in registration, complete form below and mail with payment to: **Greenbelt Recreation Department, 25 Crescent Rd., Greenbelt, Md. 20770.** MasterCard/Visa and checks are accepted. If paying by credit card, please include the card type (MC/VS), the expiration date, and the credit card number. Checks should be made payable to the 'City of Greenbelt'.

Class Schedule

Except where noted, all classes will begin the week of June 26, 2000. Saturday classes will begin July 1, 2000. Please see class description for specific dates and times. Due to a time limitation, there are no make-ups for children's classes held at the Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center that are canceled.

City Residency

Resident rates apply to those persons who reside in, pay taxes to and are eligible to vote in Greenbelt elections (if 18 years of age or older). Non-resident rates apply to those who live outside of Greenbelt or those who have a Greenbelt mailing address, but do not pay taxes to the city.

Class Fees

All class fees are noted in the course description. A 10% discount will be given to all senior citizens, 60 years of age and over, registering for adult classes (except those designed specifically for Senior Citizens.)

Refunds

The Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registration or causes beyond its control. Refunds will be made if classes are canceled by the Recreation Department. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which requires requests for refunds made in writing to the Director of the Greenbelt Recreation Department IMMEDIATELY.

Inclusion

Individuals who are physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged are encouraged to participate in any of the Recreation Department's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call Karen Haseley at 301/397-2208 (TTY: 301/474-2046).

Children's Neighborhood Classes - (R=Residents Rates NR=Non-Resident Rates)

Daytime fun is on tap during these inexpensive, introductory, summertime recreation classes. Participants are exposed to new skills and experiences in a non-competitive, relaxed atmosphere. We'll supply all the equipment...you supply the enthusiasm! Classes will meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Classes will not be held on Tuesdays.

Section 2		Section 3		Section 4	
Registration Dates:		Registration Dates:		Registration Dates:	
6/22 - 7/5		7/6 - 7/19		7/20 - 8-2	
Meeting Days:		Meeting Days:		Meeting Days:	
July 10, 12, 13, 14 & July 17, 19, 20, 21		July 24, 26, 27, 28 & July 31, August 2, 3, 4		August 7, 9, 10, 11 & August 14, 16, 17, 18	
Activity #	Name/Age	Section	Time/Location/ Cost	Description	
322509	Arts & Crafts	1 - 4	M, W, Th, F/2-2:40pm/YC	Summertime craft fun with creative make and take projects for tots.	
		3-5 yrs	FREE; 2 weeks		
332510	Arts & Crafts	1-4	M,W,TGh,F/2:45-3:25pm/YC	Summertime craft fun with creative make and take projects.	
	6-10 yrs		FREE; 2 weeks		
332503	Basketball	2 & 4	M,W,Th,F/10:30-11:15am/YC	Basketball basics, skill development and contests for beginners.	
	Skills & Drills		R:\$15; NR:\$20; 2 weeks		
	6-10 yr				
322506	Creative Movement	2 & 4	M,W,Th,F/11:45-12:15pm/YC	An introductory exploration of movement especially for tots.	
	3-5 yrs		R:\$15; NR: \$20; 2 weeks		
332507	Gymnastics	2 & 4	M,W,Th,F/11:15-11:45am/YC	Recreational introduction to tumbling and some apparatus.	
	6-10 yrs	2 & 4	R:\$15; NR:\$20; 2 weeks		

Children/Teen/Adult Classes (R=Resident Rates NR=Non-Resident Rates)

Activity #	Name/Age	Time/Location/ Cost	Instructor	Description
344201-3	Ballroom Dancing 16+	Su/7-8pm/CC-Dance \$80/person; 8 weeks	Louis Giacchino	Basics of the smooth dances-Waltz, Foxtrot & Tango. Useful for all occasions.
332202-1	Beginning Karate 5-12 yrs	Th/5:30-6:30pm/CC-Dance R:\$40; NR:\$48; 8 weeks	Arturo Oliva	Self-defense and confidence through the use of karate. Uniform \$35.
353209-1	Befriend Your Camera 16+	Th/7-9pm/CC-Gallery R:\$50; NR:\$60 5 weeks	Timothy Edberg	An introduction to photographic equipment and technique. Bring your camera to the first class.
352206-1	Beginning T'ai Chi 16+	Sa/9:30-10:30am/CC-Rehearsal. R:\$36; NR:\$44; 8 weeks	Larry Fleming	Learn basis T'ai Chi movements.
357503-1	Bicycling 101 14+	Tu/6:30pm-9:30pm/YC R:\$16; NR:\$20; workshop	Allen Muchnick	Class July 18. Fundamentals for new and intermediate riders.
357301-1	Bike Maintenance & Repair 14+	Tu/6:30-9:30pm/YC R:\$16; NR:\$20; workshop	Allen Muchnick	Class July 25. Lecture/demo on bike fit, break down repairs, inspection, brake and derailleur adjustments, lubrication.
357302-1	Bike Mechanics Workshop 14+	Tu/6:30-9:30pm/YC R:\$16; NR:\$20	Allen Muchnick	Class August 1. Bring bike, supplies, and inspiration to this hands on sequel to maintenance and repair. Bike req'd.
342202-1	Cardio Karate Kickboxing 13+	Th/7:45-8:45pm/CC-Dance R:\$40/NR:\$48; 8 weeks Drop in: R:\$6; NR: \$7	Arturo Oliva	Aerobic workout using basic karate & kickboxing movements. If you sign-up for this class, attend Saturday class FREE.

COUNCIL

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policy. Delaying approval bothered the other councilmembers, however. They were concerned that the room would be left standing empty for as much as six months while groups and advisory boards were given time to submit and review alternate proposals.

The councilmembers spent considerable time trying to come up with a motion that would satisfy all and to make clear that the uses proposed by DeWald were interim uses for not more than a year. However, whenever a councilmember had the opportunity to clarify what the language proposed meant, another member would take exception to it. Finally, Councilmember Rodney Roberts moved simply to approve the staff recommendation. In discussion it was made clear that the motion was intended as an interim process for one year. The motion, described by Mayor Judith Davis as a motion that included amendment based upon the council's discussion, was adopted with White opposing.

Program Open Space
The council unanimously approved a draft annual plan for the expenditure of program open space funds. These funds, provided by the state government for the acquisition of park and open space and improvements to parks, are allocated, by formula, to the county and reallocated, in part, to the local municipalities. The city's allocation for fiscal year 2001 is \$162,193 bringing the total funds allocated to the city that are unspent to \$849,481.

The FY 2001 plan calls for the acquisition of unspecified parcels of land in three general locations and for safety upgrades to nine city playgrounds. While the specific parcels to be acquired are undesignated, the plan calls for the acquisition of land in Greenbelt East in an area that includes a portion of the Maryland Trade Center, the Greenbrook Office Park, Commerce Center III and the ten-acre Sunrise property, the only undeveloped, privately-owned parcel in the designated area. The plan proposes the acquisition of 10 acres of wooded and undeveloped land in Greenbelt East for parkland and conservation purposes and to provide a natural buffer (green belt). The plan allocates \$443,611 for this project.

In Greenbelt West, approximately one-acre of undeveloped land is designated for use as parkland. The area designated for this purchase includes all the land bounded by the Capital Beltway, Cherrywood Lane and Kenilworth Avenue, an area that includes Capital Office Park, the city cemetery and the State Highway Administration facility. The only vacant parcel in the area designated is a 0.7 acre parcel at the entrance to Capital Office Park that was originally planned to become a gasoline service station. \$100,870 is allocated for this purpose.

In the central area of Greenbelt, the plan proposes the acquisition of one acre of undeveloped land to provide increased public access to parkland and to expand the

city's inventory of parkland. This acquisition is to be located in an area that includes all of the subdivisions of Boxwood Village, Lakewood, Woodland Hills and Lakeside and Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) property located west of Westway, south of Hillside Road and west of Research Road. Besides GHI greenspace, only one or two lots remain vacant in this area. \$205,000 is allocated for this purpose.

The fourth use for the open space funds is providing safety upgrades to some nine city playgrounds. Improvements would include resurfacing with approved rubberized surfacing material and replacement of equipment failing to meet current safety requirements. The plan allocates \$100,000 of open space funds and \$30,000 of Community Development Block Grant Funds.

In response to council inquiries, City Manager Michael McLaughlin made clear that this was just a plan to show that the city has a use for the money allocated and that the funds would not be committed until council approves a project. Also, the city can make changes in both the use and amount of funds set forth in the plan.

Other Business
City Clerk Kathleen Gallagher was authorized to co-sign city checks temporarily while the City Treasurer and Assistant City Manager were away from the city.

The purchase of a stake body truck from Tysons Ford was approved for \$43,979.38 and a radio for the truck for \$800.

Following usual procedure, council took no position on the transfer of a liquor license for the Chef's Secret Restaurant to the new owners of the Sarinta Corporation: Suttichai Raungtriphop, president; Siriat Raungtriphop, secretary and Siriporn Rusitanonta, treasurer.

Council approved a staff recommendation to write the National Capital Planning Commission about proposed federal capital improvements planned in or near the city. The city will express its support for construction of a new post office and for renovation projects at Goddard Space Flight Center and the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center that strengthen the mission of these facilities. However, it would like to have more information about the design and location of a conference center at Goddard.

Council agreed to submit to the Maryland Municipal League three proposals for state law enactments for that organization to include in its legislative program that would enhance city finances. They are: permitting municipalities to jointly purchase electricity together in order to have better buying power; increasing the share of income tax allocated to municipalities; and increasing the amount of state aid for police protection.

Brenda L. Walker was appointed to the Youth Advisory Committee and council accepted the resignations of Steve Perez from the Recycling Advisory Committee and Philip Larkin from the Park and Recreation Advisory Board.

Greenbelters to Serve On SHA Task Force

by Judith Ransom Bell
Five Greenbelt residents and one city staff representative have been chosen to serve on the State Highway Administration (SHA) Neighborhood Conservation Project's task force for Greenbelt Road (Rt. 1 to Mandan Road). Celia Craze (city staff), Sharon Bradley-Papp, Joyce Chestnut, William A. Clarke, Paula Clinedinst, Scott Fifield, and John Pak have agreed to serve as members of this group, which also includes representatives from College Park and Berwyn Heights.

The purpose of the project is to

address a variety of aesthetic, safety, access and operational needs along Greenbelt Road. The initial project phase will include the identification of issues. Among those initially identified include pedestrian access and safety, bicycle access and safety, sidewalk connections, roadway conditions, and aesthetics.

Craze, Greenbelt's director of planning and community development, requested that the following specific concerns be added to the project study: how to extend the Cherrywood Lane bike lanes to Greenbelt Road, the need for a traffic signal at

Lakecrest Drive, school crossings at Greenbelt Middle School and Eleanor Roosevelt High School, the possible use of audible pedestrian crossing beacons, the timing of pedestrian crossing phases at signals, accommodations for visually impaired pedestrians, and the location of transit stops. The task force is scheduled to meet approximately four times to define needs, review background studies, and review concepts. Karen Townsley, the SHA consultant, was expected to attend a Four Cities meeting on June 22 for a briefing.



Greenbelt Recreation Department

SUMMER REGISTRATION
GENERAL CLASS & REGISTRATION INFORMATION (cont'd)

Children/Teen/Adult Classes (R=Resident Rates NR=Non-Resident Rates)

Activity #	Name/Age	Time/Location/ Cost	Instructor	Description
3422202-2	Cardio Karate Kickboxing 13+	Sa/8:30-9:30am/CC/Dance R:\$40; NR:\$48; 8 weeks Drop in: R:\$6;NR:\$7	Arturo Oliva	Aerobic workout using basic karate & kickboxing movements. If you sign-up for this class, attend Thursday class FREE.
357101-1	Community First Aid & Safety 16+	T,W,Th/7-10pm R:\$55; NR:\$60 Location: TBA	Janet Goldberg	Save a life! Learn basic first aid and CPR. Class is July 11,12,13.
357101-2	Community First Aid & Safety 16+	T,W,Th/7-10pm R:\$55; NR:\$60 Location: TBA	Janet Goldberg	Save a life! Learn basis first aid and CPR. Class is August 8,9,10.
352206-2	Continuing T'ia Chi 16+	Sa/8:30-9:30am/CC-Rehearsal R:\$36; NR:\$44; 8 weeks	Larry Fleming	Must have completed Beginning T'ai Chi movements.
357304-1	Cycling With Confidence 14+	Tu/6:30pm-9:30pm/YC R:\$38; NR:\$47.50; \$11 materials fee; 3 weeks	Allen Muchnick	Class begins August 8. On bike and in class instruction in essential cycling and mechanical skills Bike and helmet req'd.
352203-1	Fit N' Fun Aerobics 16+	M,W,F/9:30-10:45am/CC-Gym. R:\$47; NR:\$56; 10 weeks. 2 days/wk; R:\$31; NR:\$37; Drop in fee: R:\$2; NR:\$3	Judy Cocchiaro	Bring mats & weights to CC-gym. High/low aerobics. Class is ongoing. FREE Babysitting!
352202-1	Health & Fitness 16+	Tu/7-8pm/CC-Rehearsal R:\$25; NR:\$30; 8 weeks	Amy Derin	Basic fitness, classical dance, hatha yoga and much more. Bring a mat.
352202-2	Health & Fitness 16+	Th/7-8pm/CC-Rehearsal R:\$25; NR:\$30; 8 weeks	Amy Derin	Basic fitness, classical dance, hatha yoga and much more. Bring a mat.
332201-1	Int/Advanced Karate 5-12 yrs	Th/5:30-6:30pm/CC-Rehearsal R:\$40; NR:\$48; 8 weeks	Marcela Oliva	Self-defense through the use of Karate. Yellow belt level or higher.
354501-1	International Folk Dancing 16+	F/8-10pm/YC-MPR \$30/person; 8 weeks	Roland Forbes	Variety of international dances for all skill levels. No class 7/30. Free introductory class 6/18.
352205-1	Iyengar Yoga 16+	Sa/10:45am-12pm/CC-Rehearsal R:\$38; NR:\$46; 8 weeks	Claudia Baldwin	Learn physical postures that promote health and prepare for meditation. Bring a blanket.
N/A	Jazzercise Regular 16+	M,W,7-8pm/CC-Gym F/6:30-7:15pm/CC-Dance Su/10-11am/CC-Dance 1 Mo.\$35; 6 wks. \$55; Drop-In \$6	Bev McQuay 301/776-5405	Ongoing class, register any class night. Warm-up Aerobics, strengthening, toning and cool down.
342201-1	Karate Shotokan 13+	Th/6:30-7:30pm/CC-Dance R:440; NR:\$48; 8 weeks	Arturo Oliva	Learn self-defense, improve confidence and muscle tone through karate
344201-1	Latin Dancing 16+	Su/9-10pm/CC-Dance \$80/person; 8 weeks	Louis Giacchino	This class will give you exposure to basic Salsa, Meringue, Cha Cha & Rumba. Very useful in clubs & Travel.
344203-1	Line Dancing Basics & Beyond 16+	M/7:30-9:pm/CC-Dance R:\$38; NR:\$45; 8 weeks	Ronnie Marchand	This is a great class for line dancers who want to learn the newest dances to the most popular music. Fun for all!
353211-1	Saturday Photo Seminar 16+	Sa/1:30-5:30pm/CC-Gallery R:\$30; NR:\$40;	Timothy Edberg	July 8: Photographic Lighting
353211-1	Saturday Photo Seminar 16+	Sa/1:30-5:30pm/CC-Gallery R:\$30; NR:\$40;	Timothy Edberg	July 22: Nature Photography
344201-2	Swing Dancing 16+	Su/8-9pm/CC-Dance \$80/per person; 8 weeks	Louis Giacchino	ALL THE RAGE TODAY! Learn the Lindy Hop, West Coast Swing.
337601-1	USA Tennis 1 2 3 7-9 yrs	M,W,F/10-10:45am/BFTC R:\$30; NR:\$37.50; 4 weeks	Cheryl Conrad	United States Tennis Association fun, beginners program!
337602-1	USA Tennis 1 2 3 10-12	M,W,F/11-11:45/BFTC R:\$30; NR:\$37.50; 4 weeks	Cheryl Conrad	Get in the game with this fun, beginners program!
337601-2	USA Tennis 1 2 3 7-9 yrs	M,W,F/10-10:45am/BFTC R:\$30; NR; \$37.50; 4 weeks	Cheryl Conrad	Class starts 7/24. United States Tennis Association fun, beginners program!
337602-2	USA Tennis 1 2 3 10-12 yrs	M,W,F/11-11:45 am/BFTC R:\$30; NR:\$37.50; 4 weeks	Cheryl Conrad	Class starts 7/24. Get in the game with this fun, beginners program!
352204-1	Vishwayatan Yoga Beginning 16+	Tu/6-7pm/CC-Dance R:\$38; NR:\$46; 8 weeks	Manju Shukla	Learn yoga exercises, breathing techniques to reduce weight and improve circulation.
352204-1	Vishwayatan Yoga Continuing 16+	TU/7-8pm/CC-Dance R:\$38; NR:\$46; 8 weeks	Manju Shukla	Must have completed Beginning Vishwayatan Yoga.

Peace Poster Contest Winners with their winning entries

Photos by P.J. Siegel



April Roberts



Maia McWilliams



Samantha Vernon

Peace Poster Contest Has Two Local Winners

by P. J. Siegel

The Lions International Peace Poster Contest, created in 1988, gives young people an opportunity to express their feelings about peace. The theme of the 1999-2000 contest was "A New Beginning for Peace."

Locally, the Greenbelt Lions Club sponsored students and youth groups at Glenarden Woods, Oakcrest Elementary, and Thomas Pullen Arts Middle School. The three first place winners at the local level each received a \$25 cash award. The winners were Maia McWilliams and April Roberts, both from Greenbelt and Samantha Vernon who resides in Lanham. At the district level, 38 first place local winners competed against each other. Samantha Vernon placed first and Maia McWilliams finished second. Samantha placed third at the district level in last year's peace poster contest.

The Greenbelt Lions Club has made a strong commitment to community service and serving youth for almost 50 years. Schools and youth groups attended by Greenbelt students who may be interested in

participating in next year's contest may contact P.J. Siegel at 301-474-2324. The theme for 2000-2001 will be "United in Peace."

Replacement Actor Is a Hit in "I Remember Mama"

by Sabine Hentrich

"I Remember Mama," by John Van Druten, opened on June 16 at the Greenbelt Arts Center. Some might remember the play as a novel, a musical, a movie (1948), or, most likely, a TV series in the early '50s. It is set at the turn of the century in San Francisco and the action revolves around a Norwegian family's struggles and accomplishments in "the new country."

The story is told from the point of view of Katrin (Kathleen Wise Pugh), the eldest daughter of the Hansons, who is a writer in the making. The play is perfectly balanced with its comic and tragic moments, which were all appropriately captured by a wonderful cast.

Greenbelters who regularly attend the Arts Center's productions noticed that the play opened a week late. Due to a family emergency of one of the cast members, director Keith Mervine had to make some last minute changes in order to get the show on stage. Amazingly, the play did not suffer.

Trix Whitehall (originally cast as Aunt Jenny) bravely took over the leading role of Mama. Certainly she did not fail to capture her audience, who never seemed distracted by the script in Whitehall's hand. Whitehall was simply right on as Mama. Her accent, her appearance, her demeanor, and gestures—it was obvious this wonderful actor knew her role.

Another actor, whom the Arts Center is grateful to for filling in on such short notice, is Mary-Lou Fisher, who took over for Whitehall as Aunt Jenny. She, too, appeared on

stage as if she had been rehearsing this particular role for the past few months. If the director had not made an announcement before the show, few people would have noticed the change.

Papa and the children were played by remarkable actors as well. Dagmar (Michaela

Haber) and Christine (Nancy Draper) in particular performed their characters with spice.

Further, Uncle Chris (Eliot Malumuth) was well cast with an actor who has a great, projecting voice (and last made the audience laugh as Mayor Shinn in the Music Man).

All the adult actors did a marvelous job on their various European accents. Lastly, the set design by Keith Brown and the costumes by Norma Ozur and Lois Rapp gave the turn-of-the-century immigrant setting a final, authentic touch.

No doubt the cast performed this wonderful play with great love and respect for it, doing their best to cope with losing the lead actor.

Everyone interested in seeing "I Remember Mama" at the Arts Center is invited to do so every Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. until July 1 with a Sunday matinee on June 25 at 2 p.m. Call 301-441-8770 for information and reservations.



Kathleen Wise Pugh as Katrin
-photo by Sabine Hentrich

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4 weeks, beginning June 26

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For additional information,
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Department at
(301) 397-2200

SUMMER GAVA PROGRAMS

For Adults & Teens 16+

SEWING CLASSES

6 week session, Sundays, 3-6:00 pm

July 16-August 20

Greenbelt residents: \$105, non-res: \$115

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Call (301) 614-8608 for more information/application
or ask at the Community Center Main Office

STAINED GLASS WORKSHOP

5 week session, Saturdays, 3-7:00 pm, July 1-29

Greenbelt residents: \$60, non-res: \$70

\$15 materials fee payable to instructor Rick McMullin

For beginners and advanced students

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Classes produced by Greenbelt Assn. for the Visual Arts (GAVA) at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Rd., Greenbelt, MD, 20770.
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Greenbelt Arts Center
123 Centerway P.O. Box 293
Greenbelt, MD 20768

PRESENTS

THE SHOW GOES ON!

I REMEMBER MAMA
by John van Druten

JUNE 16-JULY 1
Fri & Sat 8:00 pm
Sun June 25 2:00 pm

Preceding the June 30th performance, there will be a reception in the lobby of the theater from 6:30 to 7:30 honoring Gwendolyn AQUI, Patricia Zannie, Susan Whitmore, Caitlin Herlihy, Elizabeth Morissette, Christine Bernstein and Nancy DePlat chett, the artists of the current display which remains on exhibit until July 5.

Reservations/Information
301-441-8770

POLICE BLOTTER

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Weapon

Area of Southway and Greenbelt Road, June 12, 10:20 p.m., a 29-year-old male resident was arrested and charged with possession of a concealed deadly weapon after an officer heard yelling and observed him in the area. The man was found to have a kitchen-type knife in his waistband. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Strong-Armed Robbery

9200 block of Springhill Lane, June 10, 12:35 a.m., a pizza delivery person attempting to make a delivery was approached by two people while another came from behind and forcibly grabbed the pizza from his hands. The robber then fled the scene on foot. The suspect is described as a black male 15 to 18 years of age, 5'9", with a thin build and black hair in braids; he was wearing a black t-shirt and black pants.

Attempted Robbery

9100 block of Edmonston Court, June 9, 10:26 p.m., a pizza delivery person had just finished making a delivery when he was approached by a youth who demanded that he give him the pizza. When the victim told the youth that he had already delivered it, the youth punched him in the face and fled the scene on foot. The victim refused any medical attention. The suspect is described as a black male 16 to 17 years of age, 5'8", 160 lbs., with brown eyes and black hair in a medium Afro; he was wearing a grey tank top.

Drugs

9200 block of Springhill Lane, June 10, 8:05 p.m., a 21-year-old male resident was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana. An officer observed a possible drug transaction between him and another person. The man was stopped and was found to be in possession of suspected marijuana. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Eleanor Roosevelt High School, June 12, a 15-year-old male resident was arrested for possession of marijuana and possession of paraphernalia after he was observed by a school resource officer as a possible truant along with two other people in the 7800 block of Jacobs Drive.

As the officer approached the people they fled in different directions. The youth was apprehended on the grounds of the high school and was found to be in possession of marijuana and paraphernalia commonly used to smoke marijuana. He was released to a guardian pending action by the school board and the juvenile justice system.

9100 block of Springhill Lane, June 13, 8:15 p.m., a 19-year-old male resident was arrested and charged with possession of cocaine. Officers responded to a report of possible drug activity at a bus stop. The man was stopped and was found to have a quantity of suspected crack cocaine. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Indecent Exposure

Area of Westway and Ridge Road, June 13, 12:27 p.m., a woman walking observed a man in the wooded area nearby, exposing himself. She left the scene and called police. The suspect is described only as a white male in his 50s.

Unattended Children

5900 block of Cherrywood Lane, June 10, 9:56 p.m., a 34-year-old male resident was arrested and charged with leaving a child unattended after officers responded to a 911 hang-up call at the address. Upon arrival officers discovered an unattended nine-year-old child and four-year-old child. The father was located and was released on citation pending trial.

Theft

Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center, June 9, a book bag and a purse were removed from an unsecured locker at the pool.

8000 block of Craddock Road, June 10, 9:32 a.m., an unattended portable radio was taken.

20 block of Parkway, June 11, a silver 12-speed racing bike was stolen.

1 court of Northway, June 13, 9:30 a.m., an unattended carryall bag was taken from atop a vehicle.

Marriott Hotel in the 6400 block of Ivy Lane, June 13, 7:38 p.m., a laptop computer was taken from the security office.

Vehicle Crimes

A theft from a vehicle was reported in the 20 court of Southway, and vandalism to a vehicle was reported in the 7800 block of Mandan Road.

AmeriCorps Seeks Maryland Leaders

AmeriCorps, the national service program described as the domestic Peace Corps, is looking for people to become Volunteer Maryland Coordinators. Each person chosen will be matched with a local non-profit agency to mobilize volunteers to provide direct services to community members, like mentoring youth, visiting frail elderly, or saving the Chesapeake Bay.

This is a full-time, one-year commitment designed to help tackle critical community needs. The service year begins August 28, and includes extensive training, a \$10,500 stipend, and a post-service education award.

For more information and an application, call 410-514-7270.



Delegate Mary A. Conroy (right), who represents Bowie and Greenbelt in the Maryland State Legislature, is stepping down as president of the Women Legislators of Maryland. The new president is Delegate Sue Hecht (left) of Dist. 3, Frederick and Washington Counties.



GREENBELT AQUATIC & FITNESS CENTER

2000 SUMMER CHILDREN'S WEEKDAY LESSONS - SESSION I

In-person registration, first-come, first-served basis. All classes have a limit on enrollment. Early registration improves your chances of getting the class you want!! All registrants must sign up at the Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center for aquatic & fitness classes.

REFUNDS: The Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registrants or causes beyond its control. Refunds will be made if classes are canceled by the Center. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which also requires that refund requests, for valid reasons, are to be submitted immediately in writing to the GAFC.

CITY RESIDENCY: Greenbelt residents are those who pay taxes to the City of Greenbelt AND are eligible to vote in City elections. That is as it should be, as our residents pay taxes to support the Recreation Centers and the Aquatic & Fitness Center in our community. However, just because someone has a Greenbelt address, does not necessarily mean they pay taxes to the City of Greenbelt and are able to vote in City elections. We want to be fair to the people whose tax money supports our programs. If you are not sure that you have a Greenbelt address, are able to vote in City elections, and pay City taxes, call 301-397-2204.

All registrants registering as a resident non-passholder must show proof to receive Greenbelt resident status. **Acceptable Proof: Valid license or current lease.**

MAINSTREAMING: Anyone who is physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged is encouraged to participate in any of the Aquatic & Fitness Center's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call 301-397-2208 or TTY 301-474-1811 and ask for Karen Haseley.

GAFC Class & Registration Dates

Summer Session I: June 27-30, 2000- July 5-7, 2000
Passholders & Residents register: Saturday, June 24
Non-Residents register: Monday, June 26

Register in person at the GAFC between 9:00am and 12:00pm for all dates noted above.
Class rates do not include use of fitness wing or pool, before or after class times.
Class rates have been pro-rated for Tuesday, July 4, 2000.

			Pass Holders	Res-NonPass Holders	NonRes-NonPass Holders
Weekday Children's Swim Lessons (1 Yr+)					
Aqua Tots I	TU-FR 10:30am-11:00am	1-2 years - Parent participation	\$32	\$36	\$41
Aqua Tots II	TU-FR 9:45am-10:15am	2-4 years - Parent participation	32	36	41
Beginner for 4's	TU-FR 9:00am-9:30am		32	36	41
Beginner I	TU-FR 9:00am-9:30am	5 years and older. Child does not	32	36	41
	TU-FR 9:45am-10:15am	put face in water or does not float	32	36	41
	TU-FR 10:30am-11:00am		32	36	41
	TU-FR 11:15am-11:45am		32	36	41
Beginner II	TU-FR 9:00am-9:30am	5 years and older. Child can float	32	36	41
	TU-FR 9:45am-10:15am	on front and put face in water.	32	36	41
	TU-FR 10:30am-11:00am		32	36	41
	TU-FR 11:15am-11:45am		32	36	41
Advanced Beginner	TU-FR 9:00am-9:30am	Child can swim freestyle for 20	32	36	41
	TU-FR 10:30am-11:00am	yards.	32	36	41
Intermediate	TU-FR 9:45am-10:15am	Child can swim freestyle and	32	36	41
		backstroke for 1 length of pool.	32	36	41
Swimmer	TU-FR 11:15am-11:45am	Child has completed all other classes.	32	36	41

ATTENTION GHI MEMBERS
Spring Gutter Cleaning Program



The spring gutter cleaning program is underway. The following buildings will be cleaned during the week of June 26 through June 30:

29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 41 & 42 Courts Ridge
1, 3, & 5 Courts Gardenway
2 Court Eastway
56, 58, 60, & 62 Courts Crescent Road

All buildings in the community will be cleaned this spring. We hope to complete the program by July 17th, weather permitting.

Notices will be pushed each week in the News Review until all units are complete. Please be aware that workers will be placing ladders in your yard and appearing outside your windows at times. It is our intention to complete this project in an orderly and professional manner. If there are any questions or concerns, please contact Bob Tucker at (301) 474-4161 ext. 122

Electrical Safety In the Home

The city's Office of Planning and Community Development offers the following electrical safety hints:

Wiring: all wiring should be installed and inspected by a qualified electrician.

Some signs of inadequate wiring are:

lights dim or flicker; motors (such as an electric drill) change speeds when an appliance goes on; circuit breakers trip or fuses blow frequently; heat-producing appliances (such as toaster or iron) are slow to heat up; and the picture on the television "shrinks."

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Brown Feted for Teaching Career

by Judith Ransom Bell

Maplewood Court resident Dorothy Brown was recognized by the Prince George's County Board of Education for her 30 years of service at a May 25 employee recognition dinner at Martin's Crosswinds.

Brown began her career substituting at Rogers Heights Elementary School in Bladensburg in 1969, became a full-time teacher in 1970, and has been there ever since. She has taught fourth, fifth, and sixth graders, sometimes in combination programs. She taught Talented and Gifted (TAG) programs when they were "pull-out" programs (with the children pulled out of other classes) and teaches them cur-

ports that the effort has been successful for many years.

For 10 years Rogers Heights staff took students (one year they had 186) to Jamestown and Williamsburg overnight, without parents. She reports that they "infused" overnight. She goes on to say that the staff is "phenomenal," in a way "that doesn't fit anywhere in a contract."

Brown has seen seven principals come through the school, all strong leaders with good administrative skills. She muses that with the end of busing the building will become a community school again with community activities, and that it will serve many apartment residents in the area. She expects that the French immersion magnet program will continue, as well as the excellent cooperation between faculty and parents.

Brown has written a social studies curriculum and worked on MSPAP testing. She was named PTA Outstanding Teacher of the Year at Rogers Heights in 1976 and in 1986 she earned an Outstanding Teacher of the Year award in Prince George's County.

Brown says she is teaching the children of children that she taught in the past and reports that she has enjoyed herself, even though teaching "is quite a challenge" now. She will retire July 1 and has applied for rehire. Brown has 70+ hours above her bachelor's degree and is qualified to teach ESOL (English for Students from Other Lands), TAG, and resource students as well.

Education has become a Brown family career. Of her three daughters, Carmen Brown is a counselor at Princeton Elementary, Kendra Gatto teaches art therapy at Springhill Lake Elementary, Zandra Brown is head secretary at Rogers Heights. Husband Ben is currently substituting in the school system.

"Anybody can reach their goals if they work steadily and wait patiently," reports Brown, who says this has been her motto since high school. It seems to work for her.



Dorothy Brown

rently as well, now that TAG has been worked into the regular curriculum.

In what she calls a "Ruth move," Brown came to the area from Winston-Salem, NC in 1966. She explains that her husband Ben got a job with the government and she followed him here.

Brown recounts that when she began teaching at Rogers Heights, it was a community school. When busing was implemented in the early 70s, the school outreach "exploded" into many different communities. The staff went out into the communities to meet with the parents in an effort to begin to unify the school. Brown re-

Be Careful What You Do! You May Be Recorded

by James Giese

At its April 19 budget worksession, the city council heard reports from Police Chief James Craze on three surveillance programs the city has initiated. They are Neighborhood Speed Watch, Cameras in the Center and Red Light Cameras. The first is about to be initiated, the second is in effect and the third is to be implemented as soon as necessary approvals are obtained.

Speed Watch

The Lakeside Citizens Association is the first neighborhood organization to request use of a department radar device to record the speeds of vehicles through its neighborhood, Craze announced. Under this program, two citizens are trained to use a radar speed-measuring device. One citizen operates the device and calls out the speed and license number of speeding vehicles on a street. The other double checks and records the information, which is provided to the department. Chief Craze will then send a letter to the vehicle owner advising that the car was observed speeding by the neighborhood speed watchers. No enforcement action can be taken.

Cameras in Center

Calls for service have dwindled to nearly nothing at Roosevelt Center since observation cameras were installed, Chief Craze told the council. "The whole atmosphere in the center has changed," he said. The merchants seem to be happier. Nor has there been any vandalism or theft of property as was feared when tables and chairs were put out after the mall had been renovated. Councilmembers thought that other changes to the center such as the renovation and the installation of the theater marquee had helped as well.

Red Light Program

Last fall council approved the installation of cameras at key intersections to record license numbers of vehicles going through red lights. Craze reported that the city has been

"in-line to go on-line" since last October and nothing has happened. He feared that too many others are trying to utilize this program. He also noted that a study by the State Highway Administration (SHA) would have to be done before cameras could be installed. SHA must determine if the intersection has a high rate of traffic accidents with a high rate of traffic violations.

The chief outlined three steps before the program can be initiated. (1) Enter an agreement with Howard

County, which has an approved procedure for screening camera photographs to sort out law violators and determine the license numbers of violating vehicles. (2) Have a survey done by SHA to qualify intersections. (3) Buy and install cameras.

Councilmember Rodney Roberts expressed his reservations about the program. "What assurance do we have that this will be a program to reduce violations and not just a way to raise revenues?" he asked.

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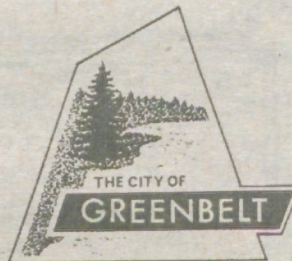
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